House Resolution No. 2436

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has demonstrated exceptional skill as a leader of his peers; and

Whereas, Christopher Young of California, Missouri, recently received top honors for excellence in competition during the 2004 International Delta Epsilon Chi Career Development Conference held in Nashville, Tennessee; and

Whereas, one of fourteen college marketing students to receive international recognition, Christopher Young put forth a tremendous degree of effort wile competing with sixteen hundred of the best and brightest college marketing students from across the United States and Canada; and

Whereas, Delta Epsilon Chi's internationally recognized program of competitive events uses interviews, tests, role-plays, and written project reports to evaluate marketing and management skills identified by the nation's business community as essential for success in the business world of today; and

Whereas, an outstanding student at the University of Missouri-Columbia where he has been named to the Dean's List, Christopher Young received Top 10 honors in International Delta Epsilon Chi Competition in the E-Commerce Decision Making Event; and

Whereas, Christopher Young holds local, state, and national Delta Epsilon Chi membership and takes pride in the enviable list of achievement he has acquired at the University of Missouri as the Delta Epsilon Chi State Board Member and President-Elect of the Missouri State Association of Delta Epsilon Chi; and

Whereas, Christopher Young has achieved his every ambition with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud and loving parents, Norris and Lesley Gerhart and Steve and Kathy Young; and his three siblings, Jason Young, Melissa Gerhart, and Courtland Gerhart:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join together with the staff and student body at the University of Missouri-Columbia in extending our most hearty congratulations to Christopher Young at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and is wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Christopher Young, as he is honored on May 14, 2004, at the Missouri Governor's Mansion in Jefferson City.

Offered by	Representative Larry Crawford District No. 117
Representa Regular Se	e L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of atives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second ession, do certify that the above is a true and correct ouse Resolution No. 2436, adopted May 3, 2004.
Catherine l	L. Hanaway, Speaker